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- 1. The Germans have formed a White-guard Brigade under the name Army of Liberation from Soviet Domination -. The Commander of the brigade is General Andrej VLASOV. The Germans recommend him as a former general of the Red Army. Also there were formed analogous brigades in Latvia the First Latvian Legion [1 group unrecovered] Commander General Rudolf BENZhERSKIJ. In Estonia the Estonian Legion Commander General [2 groups unrecovered]ER.
- 2. At the invitation of the USA a Military Mission of 9 men is coming from Portugual for 6 weeks. It will consist of 3 groups Naval, Army and Air Force.
- 3. The German commentator Kurt DIETTMAR said [that] in the spring of 1943 Germany will begin to use gases in the war against the Soviet Union. Press.

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